

**Abstract**

These are some of the multiple solution sets that can be found from the set of simultaneous equations obtained from diagram 1. Note that forces A, B, and C are exerted on two members, not one. Also, a negative value for a force means that, at that particular state, the member may be in tension. All positive values imply compression. All force values are in pounds.

**1 Solution**

Forces as they are in the free body.

$$F_{H1} = 5000$$

$$F_{H2} = 5000$$

$$F_{H3} = 5000$$

$$F_{H4} = 5000$$

$$F_{V1} = 5000$$

$$F_{V2} = 5000$$

$$F_{V3} = 5000$$

$$F_{V4} = 5000$$

$$W = 10180$$

$$S = 1527.0$$

$$Fc = (F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + S) / (\cos(45^\circ)) = \mathbf{30443.78}$$

$$\tilde{F}_D = (1/160) * [28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 4.875F_{H3} - 51(F_{V1} + F_{V3}) - 32F_{V2} + 192F_{V4} + S * 16.875 + 80W] = .00625 \times 1587668. = \mathbf{9922.925}$$

$$\tilde{F}_A = -F_D - F_C \sin(45^\circ) + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4} + W$$

$$\tilde{F}_A = -(1/160) * [28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 4.875F_{H3} - 51(F_{V1} + F_{V3}) - 32F_{V2} + 192F_{V4} + S * 16.875 + 80W] - (F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + 0.15W) / (\cos(45^\circ)) \sin(45^\circ) + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4} + W = -.00625 \times 1587668. + 8653.0 = \mathbf{-1269.925}$$

**2 Solution**

Maximizing moment about point A, therefore maximizing force B.

$$F_{H1} = 5000$$

$$F_{H2} = 5000$$

$$F_{H3} = 5000$$

$$F_{H4} = 5000$$

$$F_{V1} = -5000$$

$$F_{V2} = -5000$$

$$F_{V3} = -5000$$

$$F_{V4} = 5000$$

$$W = 10180$$

$$S = 1527.0$$

$$Fc = (F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + S) / (\cos(45^\circ)) = \mathbf{30443.78}$$

$$\tilde{F}_B = (1/160) * [28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 4.875F_{H3} - 51(F_{V1} + F_{V3}) - 32F_{V2} + 192F_{V4} + S * 16.875 + 80W] = .00625 \times 2927668. = \mathbf{18297.93}$$

$$F_A = -F_B - F_C \sin(45^\circ) + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4} + W$$

$$F_A = -(1/160) * [28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 4.875F_{H3} - 51(F_{V1} + F_{V3}) - 32F_{V2} + 192F_{V4} + S * 16.875 + 80W] - (F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + 0.15W) / (\cos(45^\circ)) \sin(45^\circ) + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4} + W = -.00625 * 2927668. - 21347.0 = \boxed{-39644.93}$$

### 3 Solution

Minimizing moment about point A, therefore minimizing force B.

$$F_{H1} = -5000$$

$$F_{H2} = -5000$$

$$F_{H3} = -5000$$

$$F_{H4} = -5000$$

$$F_{V1} = 5000$$

$$F_{V2} = 5000$$

$$F_{V3} = 5000$$

$$F_{V4} = -5000$$

$$W = 10180$$

$$S = -1527.0$$

$$Fc = (F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + S) / (\cos(45^\circ)) = \boxed{-30444.}$$

$$\tilde{F}_B = (1/160) * (28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 4.875F_{H3} - 51(F_{V1} + F_{V3}) - 32F_{V2} + 192F_{V4} + S * 16.875 + 80W) = .00625 * -1298868. = \boxed{-8117.925}$$

$$\tilde{F}_A = -F_B - F_C \sin(45^\circ) + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4} + W$$

$$\tilde{F}_A = -(1/160) * (28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 4.875F_{H3} - 51(F_{V1} + F_{V3}) - 32F_{V2} + 192F_{V4} + S * 16.875 + 80W) - (F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + 0.15W) / (\cos(45^\circ)) \sin(45^\circ) + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4} + W = \boxed{46770.926}$$

### 4 Solution

$$F_{H1} = -5000$$

$$F_{H2} = -5000$$

$$F_{H3} = -5000$$

$$F_{H4} = -5000$$

$$F_{V1} = 5000$$

$$F_{V2} = 5000$$

$$F_{V3} = 5000$$

$$F_{V4} = 5000$$

$$W = 10180$$

$$S = -1527.0$$

$$Fc = (F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + S) / (\cos(45^\circ)) = \boxed{-30443.775}$$

$$\tilde{F}_B = (1/160) * (28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 4.875F_{H3} - 51(F_{V1} + F_{V3}) - 32F_{V2} + 192F_{V4} + S * 16.875 + 80W) = \boxed{3882.0742}$$

$$\tilde{F}_A = -F_B - F_C \sin(45^\circ) + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4} + W$$

$$F_A = -(1/160) * (28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 4.875F_{H3} - 51(F_{V1} + F_{V3}) - 32F_{V2} + 192F_{V4} + S * 16.875 + 80W) - (F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + 0.15W)/(\cos(45^\circ)) \sin(45^\circ) + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4} + W = 44770.926$$

## 5 Solution

All vertical forces going up and horizontal forces going in the opposite direction as in the free body..

$$F_{H1} = -5000$$

$$F_{H2} = -5000$$

$$F_{H3} = -5000$$

$$F_{H4} = -5000$$

$$F_{V1} = -5000$$

$$F_{V2} = -5000$$

$$F_{V3} = -5000$$

$$F_{V4} = -5000$$

$$W = 10180$$

$$S = -1527.0$$

$$Fc = (F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + S)/(\cos(45^\circ)) = -30443.775$$

$$\tilde{F}_D = (1/160) * (28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 4.875F_{H3} - 51(F_{V1} + F_{V3}) - 32F_{V2} + 192F_{V4} + S * 16.875 + 80W) = 257.07422$$

$$\tilde{F}_A = -F_D - F_C \sin(45^\circ) + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4} + W$$

$$F_A = -(1/160) * (28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 4.875F_{H3} - 51(F_{V1} + F_{V3}) - 32F_{V2} + 192F_{V4} + S * 16.875 + 80W) - (F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + 0.15W)/(\cos(45^\circ)) \sin(45^\circ) + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4} + W = 8395.9258$$

## 6 Solution

All vertical forces going up and horizontal forces going in the same direction as in the free body..

$$F_{H1} = 5000$$

$$F_{H2} = 5000$$

$$F_{H3} = 5000$$

$$F_{H4} = 5000$$

$$F_{V1} = -5000$$

$$F_{V2} = -5000$$

$$F_{V3} = -5000$$

$$F_{V4} = -5000$$

$$W = 10180$$

$$S = 1527.0$$

$$Fc = (F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + S)/(\cos(45^\circ)) = 30443.775$$

$$\tilde{F}_B = (1/160) * (28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 4.875F_{H3} - 51(F_{V1} + F_{V3}) - 32F_{V2} + 192F_{V4} + S * 16.875 + 80W) = 6297.9258$$

$$\tilde{F}_A = -F_B - F_C \sin(45^\circ) + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4} + W$$

$$F_A = -(1/160) * (28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 4.875F_{H3} - 51(F_{V1} + F_{V3}) - 32F_{V2} + 192F_{V4} + S * 16.875 + 80W) - (F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + 0.15W) / (\cos(45^\circ)) \sin(45^\circ) + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4} + W = -37644.926$$

## 7 Solution

Maximizing the sum of moments about the center of mass.

$$F_{H1} = -5000$$

$$F_{H2} = -5000$$

$$F_{H3} = 5000$$

$$F_{H4} = -5000$$

$$F_{V1} = 5000$$

$$F_{V2} = 5000$$

$$F_{V3} = 5000$$

$$F_{V4} = -5000$$

$$W = 10180$$

$$S = 1527.0$$

$$Fc = (F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + S) / (\cos(45^\circ)) = -11983$$

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$$F_B = (1/160) * (28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 4.875F_{H3} - 51(F_{V1} + F_{V3}) - 32F_{V2} + 192F_{V4} + S * 16.875 + 80W) = -7491.1$$

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$$F_A = -F_B - F_C \sin(45^\circ) + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4} + W$$

$$F_A = -(1/160) * (28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 4.875F_{H3} - 51(F_{V1} + F_{V3}) - 32F_{V2} + 192F_{V4} + S * 16.875 + 80W) - (F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + 0.15W) / (\cos(45^\circ)) \sin(45^\circ) + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4} + W = 36144.$$

## 8 Solution

Minimizing the sum of moments about the center of mass.

$$F_{H1} = 5000$$

$$F_{H2} = 5000$$

$$F_{H3} = -5000$$

$$F_{H4} = 5000$$

$$F_{V1} = 5000$$

$$F_{V2} = 5000$$

$$F_{V3} = -5000$$

$$F_{V4} = 5000$$

$$W = 10180$$

$$S = 1527.0$$

$$Fc = (F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + S) / (\cos(45^\circ)) = 16302.$$

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$$F_B = (1/160) * (28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 4.875F_{H3} - 51(F_{V1} + F_{V3}) - 32F_{V2} + 192F_{V4} + S * 16.875 + 80W) = 12806.$$

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$$F_A = -F_B - F_C \sin(45^\circ) + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4} + W$$

$$F_A = -(1/160) * (28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 4.875F_{H3} - 51(F_{V1} + F_{V3}) - 32F_{V2} + 192F_{V4} + S * 16.875 + 80W) - (F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + 0.15W)/(\cos(45^\circ))\sin(45^\circ) + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4} + W = -4152.7$$

## 9 Solution

Minimizing the sum of moments about point B, without taking into account any of the horizontal forces. This is meant to serve as a basis to calculate the maximum possible bending moments on members IX and X.

$$F_{H1} = 0$$

$$F_{H2} = 0$$

$$F_{H3} = 0$$

$$F_{H4} = 0$$

$$F_{V1} = -5000$$

$$F_{V2} = -5000$$

$$F_{V3} = -5000$$

$$F_{V4} = 5000$$

$$W = 10180$$

$$S = 0$$

$$Fc = (F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + S)/(\cos(45^\circ)) = 0$$

$$\sim$$

$$F_B = (1/160) * (28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 4.875F_{H3} - 51(F_{V1} + F_{V3}) - 32F_{V2} + 192F_{V4} + S * 16.875 + 80W) = 15278.$$

$$\sim$$

$$F_A = -F_B - F_C \sin(45^\circ) + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4} + W$$

$$F_A = -(1/160) * (28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 4.875F_{H3} - 51(F_{V1} + F_{V3}) - 32F_{V2} + 192F_{V4} + S * 16.875 + 80W) - (F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + 0.15W)/(\cos(45^\circ))\sin(45^\circ) + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4} + W = -16625.$$

## 10 Solution

Maximizing the sum of moments about point B, without taking into account any of the horizontal forces. This is meant to serve as a basis to calculate the maximum possible bending moments on members IX and X.

$$F_{H1} = 0$$

$$F_{H2} = 0$$

$$F_{H3} = 0$$

$$F_{H4} = 0$$

$$F_{V1} = 5000$$

$$F_{V2} = 5000$$

$$F_{V3} = 5000$$

$$F_{V4} = -5000$$

$$W = 10180$$

$$S = 0$$

$$Fc = (F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + S)/(\cos(45^\circ)) = 0$$

$$\sim$$

$$F_B = (1/160) * (28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 4.875F_{H3} - 51(F_{V1} + F_{V3}) - 32F_{V2} + 192F_{V4} + S * 16.875 + 80W) = -5097.5$$

$$F_A = -F_B - F_C \sin(45^\circ) + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4} + W$$

$$F_A = -(1/160) * (28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 4.875F_{H3} - 51(F_{V1} + F_{V3}) - 32F_{V2} + 192F_{V4} + S * 16.875 + 80W) - (F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + 0.15W)/(\cos(45^\circ)) \sin(45^\circ) + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4} + W =$$

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max force to calculate bending moment

**Abstract**

These are some of the multiple solution sets that can be found from the set of simultaneous equations obtained from diagram 2. Note that forces AB1, AB2, and D are exerted on two members, not one. Also, a negative value for a force means that, at that particular state, the member may be in tension. All positive values imply compression. All force values are in pounds.

**1 Solution**

Forces as they are in the free body.

$$F_{H1} = 5000$$

$$F_{H2} = 5000$$

$$F_{H3} = 5000$$

$$F_{H4} = 5000$$

$$F_{V1} = 5000$$

$$F_{V2} = 5000$$

$$F_{V3} = 5000$$

$$F_{V4} = 5000$$

$$W = 10180$$

$$S = 1527.0$$

$$F_D = -(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + S)/(\cos(60^\circ)) = \boxed{-43054}$$

$$\sim$$

$$F_{AB2} = (1/19)*(4.875F_{H3} + 16.875S + 28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 9.5(W + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4})) = \boxed{40525}$$

$$\sim$$

$$F_{AB1} = -F_{AB2} - F_D \sin(60^\circ) + W + (F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4})$$

$$F_{AB1} = -((1/19)*(4.875F_{H3} + 16.875S + 28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 9.5(W + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4}))) + ((F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + S)/(\cos(60^\circ))) \sin(60^\circ) + W + (F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4}) = \boxed{26941}$$

**2 Solution**

Maximizing force Fc

$$F_{H1} = -5000$$

$$F_{H2} = -5000$$

$$F_{H3} = -5000$$

$$F_{H4} = -5000$$

$$F_{V1} = 5000$$

$$F_{V2} = 5000$$

$$F_{V3} = 5000$$

$$F_{V4} = 5000$$

$$W = 10180$$

$$S = -1527.0$$

$$F_D = -(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + S)/(\cos(60^\circ)) = \boxed{43054}$$

$$\sim$$

$$F_{AB2} = (1/19)*(4.875F_{H3} + 16.875S + 28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 9.5(W + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4})) = \boxed{-10345}$$

$$\sim$$

$$F_{AB1} = -F_{AB2} - F_D \sin(60^\circ) + W + (F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4})$$

$$F_{AB1} = -((1/19) * (4.875F_{H3} + 16.875S + 28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 9.5(W + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4})) + ((F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + S)/(\cos(60^\circ))) \sin(60^\circ) + W + (F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4})) = 3239.3$$

### 3 Solution

Maximizing moment about point A

$$F_{H1} = -5000$$

$$F_{H2} = -5000$$

$$F_{H3} = -5000$$

$$F_{H4} = -5000$$

$$F_{V1} = -5000$$

$$F_{V2} = -5000$$

$$F_{V3} = -5000$$

$$F_{V4} = -5000$$

$$W = 10180$$

$$S = -1527.0$$

$$F_D = -(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + S)/(\cos(60^\circ)) = 43054.$$

$$\tilde{F}_{AB2} = (1/19) * (4.875F_{H3} + 16.875S + 28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 9.5(W + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4})) = -30345.$$

$$F_{AB1} = -F_{AB2} - F_D \sin(60^\circ) + W + (F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4})$$

$$F_{AB1} = -((1/19) * (4.875F_{H3} + 16.875S + 28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 9.5(W + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4})) + ((F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + S)/(\cos(60^\circ))) \sin(60^\circ) + W + (F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4})) = -16761.$$

### 4 Solution

Leaving horizontal forces as in the free body, but switching vertical forces (Fv's)

$$F_{H1} = 5000$$

$$F_{H2} = 5000$$

$$F_{H3} = 5000$$

$$F_{H4} = 5000$$

$$F_{V1} = -5000$$

$$F_{V2} = -5000$$

$$F_{V3} = -5000$$

$$F_{V4} = -5000$$

$$W = 10180$$

$$S = 1527.0$$

$$F_D = -(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + S)/(\cos(60^\circ)) = -43054.$$

$$\tilde{F}_{AB2} = (1/19) * (4.875F_{H3} + 16.875S + 28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 9.5(W + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4})) = 20525.$$

$$F_{AB1} = -F_{AB2} - F_D \sin(60^\circ) + W + (F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4})$$

$$F_{AB1} = -((1/19) * (4.875F_{H3} + 16.875S + 28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 9.5(W + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4})) + ((F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + S)/(\cos(60^\circ))) \sin(60^\circ) + W + (F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4})) = 6940.7$$

## 5 Solution

Maximizing moment about the center of mass, vertical forces going up.

$$F_{H1} = -5000$$

$$F_{H2} = -5000$$

$$F_{H3} = 5000$$

$$F_{H4} = -5000$$

$$F_{V1} = -5000$$

$$F_{V2} = -5000$$

$$F_{V3} = -5000$$

$$F_{V4} = -5000$$

$$W = 10180$$

$$S = 1527.0$$

$$F_D = -(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + S)/(\cos(60^\circ)) = \mathbf{16946}$$

$$\tilde{F}_{AB2} = (1/19)*(4.875F_{H3} + 16.875S + 28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 9.5(W + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4})) = \mathbf{-25067}$$

$$\tilde{F}_{AB1} = -F_{AB2} - F_D \sin(60^\circ) + W + (F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4})$$

$$\tilde{F}_{AB1} = -((1/19)*(4.875F_{H3} + 16.875S + 28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 9.5(W + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4}))) + ((F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + S)/(\cos(60^\circ))) \sin(60^\circ) + W + (F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4}) = \mathbf{571.27}$$

## 6 Solution

Maximizing moment about the center of mass, vertical forces going down.

$$F_{H1} = -5000$$

$$F_{H2} = -5000$$

$$F_{H3} = 5000$$

$$F_{H4} = -5000$$

$$F_{V1} = 5000$$

$$F_{V2} = 5000$$

$$F_{V3} = 5000$$

$$F_{V4} = 5000$$

$$W = 10180$$

$$S = 1527.0$$

$$F_D = -(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + S)/(\cos(60^\circ)) = \mathbf{16946}$$

$$\tilde{F}_{AB2} = (1/19)*(4.875F_{H3} + 16.875S + 28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 9.5(W + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4})) = \mathbf{-5066.9}$$

$$\tilde{F}_{AB1} = -F_{AB2} - F_D \sin(60^\circ) + W + (F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4})$$

$$\tilde{F}_{AB1} = -((1/19)*(4.875F_{H3} + 16.875S + 28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 9.5(W + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4}))) + ((F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + S)/(\cos(60^\circ))) \sin(60^\circ) + W + (F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4}) = \mathbf{20571}$$

## 7 Solution

Minimizing moment about the center of mass, vertical forces going down.

$$\begin{aligned}F_{H1} &= 5000 \\F_{H2} &= 5000 \\F_{H3} &= -5000 \\F_{H4} &= 5000 \\F_{V1} &= 5000 \\F_{V2} &= 5000 \\F_{V3} &= 5000 \\F_{V4} &= 5000 \\W &= 10180 \\S &= 1527.0\end{aligned}$$

$$F_D = -(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + S)/(\cos(60^\circ)) = \mathbf{-23054}.$$

$$\begin{aligned}\sim \\F_{AB2} &= (1/19)*(4.875F_{H3} + 16.875S + 28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 9.5(W + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4})) = \\37959.\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\sim \\F_{AB1} &= -F_{AB2} - F_D \sin(60^\circ) + W + (F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4}) \\F_{AB1} &= -((1/19)*(4.875F_{H3} + 16.875S + 28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 9.5(W + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4}))) + ((F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + S)/(\cos(60^\circ))) \sin(60^\circ) + W + (F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4}) = \mathbf{12186}.\end{aligned}$$

## 8 Solution

Minimizing moment about the center of mass, vertical forces going up.

$$\begin{aligned}F_{H1} &= 5000 \\F_{H2} &= 5000 \\F_{H3} &= -5000 \\F_{H4} &= 5000 \\F_{V1} &= -5000 \\F_{V2} &= -5000 \\F_{V3} &= -5000 \\F_{V4} &= -5000 \\W &= 10180 \\S &= 1527.0\end{aligned}$$

$$F_D = -(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + S)/(\cos(60^\circ)) = \mathbf{-23054}.$$

$$\begin{aligned}\sim \\F_{AB2} &= (1/19)*(4.875F_{H3} + 16.875S + 28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 9.5(W + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4})) = \\17959.\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\sim \\F_{AB1} &= -F_{AB2} - F_D \sin(60^\circ) + W + (F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4}) \\F_{AB1} &= -((1/19)*(4.875F_{H3} + 16.875S + 28.875(F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H4}) + 9.5(W + F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4}))) + ((F_{H1} + F_{H2} + F_{H3} + F_{H4} + S)/(\cos(60^\circ))) \sin(60^\circ) + W + (F_{V1} + F_{V2} + F_{V3} + F_{V4}) = \mathbf{-7814.0}\end{aligned}$$